

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH**

**JUVENILE JUSTICE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM**

**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH EMPLOYEES ONLY**

**Clinical Psychologist II**

**Juvenile Justice Mental Health Program has immediate openings for clinicians who are interested in working in the capacity of a Quality Assurance Coordinator for the Juvenile Justice Mental Health Services Program.**

**Desirable Qualifications:**

- Demonstrated expertise with service standards set forth by the State of California regarding Medi-Cal, EPSDT and LA County
- Strong organizational, communication and interpersonal skills
- Ability to work collaboratively with a multidisciplinary team
- Training skills which include curriculum development, group presentations and technical consultation experience
- Doctorate Degree in psychology, educational psychology, education with the field of specialization in counseling psychology, or in a discipline deemed equivalent by the State of California Department of Consumer Affairs, Board of Psychology.
- A license to practice as a psychologist issued by the State of California Department of Consumer Affairs, Board of Psychology.

**Essential Duties:**

- Serves as the DMH Quality Assurance Coordinator to assist DMH and Contract agency staff to meet the compliance standards of the Settlement Agreement between the County of Los Angeles and the Department of Justice, Medi-Cal, DMH and other applicable standards.
- Conducts quality assurance audits for the Juvenile Justice Mental Health Programs, coordinates and oversees the on-site Quality Assurance Committees, provides ongoing technical assistance, identifies and coordinates necessary outside training, provides documentation and other necessary training to improve staff performance.
- Utilizes the quality assurance monitoring tools approved by the DOJ for the purpose of determining compliance with the terms of the Settlement Agreement.
- Reports findings back to the Quality Assurance Manager and DMH Program Head of the facility.
- Prepares reports detailing the audit findings that are sufficiently detailed to inform the Quality Assurance Manager and DMH Program Head.
- Provides training and feedback to DMH staff regarding documentation, quality of care and other aspects noted in the audits as needing improvement.

**Individuals holding the above title are encouraged to submit their resumes to:**

**Juvenile Justice Mental Health Services Program  
550 S. Vermont Ave. Suite 406, Los Angeles, CA 90020  
Attention: Gail Blesi, Ph.D., Quality Assurance Manager  
Tel: 213-351-5220 Fax: 213-639-1361**

**Recruitment will continue until the positions are filled**

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